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J. WEYAND, Beaver, Pa.

Business Directory.

BEAVER.

JAMES CAMERON, Attorney at Law. Office in the *Radical* building, Beaver, Pa. All business entrusted to his care will receive prompt and careful attention. [may18:71:y

S. C. COYLE, practical Watchmaker and Jeweler, on Third-st. Beaver, Pa., (nearly opposite Moore's Drug Store. apr26:71:y

E. P. EWING, Attorney at Law. Office east end of Third street, Beaver, Pa. mar30:71:y

DR. J. S. McNUTT, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Special attention paid to treatment of Female Diseases. Residence and office on Third street, a few doors west of the Court-House apr12:71:y

JOHN MOORE, *Druggist* and dealer in paints, oils, pure wines and Liquors, Glassware, Lamps and Fancy Goods; Main st. Prescriptions carefully compounded. sep28:tf

HENRY MEIZ, Manufacturer and Dealer in Boots, Shoes and Gaiters; Main st. [sep28:tf

BEAVER DRUG STORE, Hugo Andriessen, Druggist & Apothecary, Main st. Prescriptions carefully compounded. [sep28:tf

S. J. ANDERSON, Dealer in the Improved Wilson Sewing Machine, Main st. See card in another column. sep28:tf

BEACOM Mrs. E. H., Dealer in Millinery Goods & Trimmings; Third st., Beaver. sep28:ly

JAMES MOORE, Grocery & Restaurant, Choice Teas, Best Coffees, Tobacco and Cigars, Confectionery and Vegetables. Main st. sep28:ly

C. B. ASHBUTZ, Dealer in Tinware, Stoves, Grates, &c. West end 3d st. sep28:ly

T. W. DEVORE, Insurance agent, Beaver, Pa. Call and get your property insured. oct26:ly

PITTSBURGH.

J. MORGANSTERN, Dealer in Boots & Shoes, No 56 Market St. Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep14:ly

CROFT & PHILLIPS, Real Estate Agents, opposite Post Office. Publishers of the "Real Estate Register," sent free. Pittsburgh. [sep14:ly

J. HENDERSON & BROS., Wholesale Druggists, 256 Liberty St. Pittsburgh. sep24:ly

J. DRAMALEY'S ATPARLORS, as with Arcade, (near Market st.) Pittsburgh. sep14:ly

S. A. CLARKE & CO., Booksellers and Stationers, 119 Wood St., Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep14:ly

JOSEPH HORNE & CO. 77 & 79 Market St., Pittsburgh—Importers and dealers in, Cottons, Prints, Linens, White Goods, &c. [sep14:ly

REYMER & BROTHERS, French and American Confectioners. Depot for nuts, fruits, &c. 126, 128, 130 Wood st. Pittsburgh. [sep.14:ly

J. S. NOORE, Dealer in choice Teas, Coffees & Family Groceries, No 20 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. sep14:ly

JOHN BROBST & SON, Dealers in the New & Wood Family Sewing Machines. 116 Market street, Pittsburgh, Pa. sep14:ly

OLIVER & CLINTOCK & CO., Dealers in Carpets, Oil Cloths, &c. Special rates to Clergymen. 81 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep14:ly

E. P. Successor to J. M. ROBERTS, Dealer in Watches, Clocks, Jewelry & Silver ware. No 6 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh. [sep14:ly

W. A. LYONS, House and Sign Painter, writes in order show cards for every business. No. 7 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep21:ly

T. C. FULTON, Manufacturer of and Dealer in Furniture and Chairs—Rosewood, Walnut, Mahogany and Oak. 45 Smithfield st. [oct26:ly

ALLEGHENY CITY.

DR. J. S. WINANS, Electrical Physician; Chronic diseases made specialty. Office, 157 Washington avenue, Allegheny City, Pa. [sep14:ly

NEW BRIGHTON.

PROSPECT MOUNT NURSERIES.—Evergreens and small Fruits. Three miles east of New Brighton. (mr29) E. THOMAS.

DRUGS—GILLILAND & KERR, Druggists, and Apothecaries, cor. Broadway and Falls sts New Brighton, Pa. (Successors to L. B. Nobles.) feb27:ly

GEO. F. SIEMON, Bakery & Confectionery, R. R. street. Special attention given to weddings and balls. [sep14:ly

S. SELLENSBERG, Merchant Tailors.—Broadway, New Brighton. See adv [sep14:ly

A. M. WHISLER, Dentist. Broadway, New Brighton. [sep14:ly

H. NOSS, Photographer, Wilson's Block, Broadway. Best photographs from re-touched negatives. [sep2:ly

WINTER & BEDISON, Jewelers and Tobacconists, Broadway, N. Brighton. [sep14:ly

J. HORTTER, Groceries, Queensware and Household Goods. Broadway. [sep14:ly

EVAN PUGH, Dealer in Wall Paper, Window Blinds, Books, Stationery & Notions; Broadway, New Brighton Pa. [sep14:ly

SCHIEW & STEINFELD, Dealers in Dry Goods, Fancy Goods & Notions; Merchant Tailors & Clothiers, Broadway. oct12:ly

BEAVER FALLS.

W. DUNKLE, Manufacturer and Dealer in Boots and Shoes. Special attention paid to Sandwich 2 of Fine Calf Boots of latest style. Main st. Beaver Falls. sep28:ly

WILLIAM KNOX, Dealer in Improved Wilson Sewing Machine, Main st., Beaver Falls. sep28:ly

MRS. KING, Dry Goods, Queensware and Millinery, corner of Main and Baker streets, Beaver Falls. sep14:ly

KENDALL & TANNEY, Artists & Fresco Painters; also, House and Sign Painters, Main St., Beaver Falls. sep14:ly

FLEMING, Dealer in Boots and Shoes of every description, at low prices, and of superior quality; Main St., Beaver Falls, Pa. jan25:ly

BRIDGEWATER.

GEORGE HTDEGGER, House and Sign Painter, Bridge St., Bridgewater, Pa. apr19:71:ly

A. BREHM, Bridge street, Bridgewater, Pa., Dealer in Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silver Ware, Spectacles, &c. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry repaired. [feb15:71:ly

DANIEL MILLER, Fashionable Tailor. None but ex erienced workmen employed. Shop on Bridge st., Bridgewater, Pa. feb8:71:y

JAMES PORTER, Tinner. Dealer in Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron ware, and Iron Cistern Pumps. Bridge st. Bridgewater. [sep14:ly

C. BLATTNER, Manufacturer and Dealer in Boots and Shoes. Bridge St., Bridgewater, Pa. sep14:ly

A. CHRIST, Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Furs, Gents' Furnishing Goods and Trimmings. Bridge st. Bridgewater, Pa. sep14:ly

J. H. DOHERTY, Dealer in Boots and Shoes. Bridge Street, Bridgewater. sep14:ly

J. HANAUER, Millinery, Trimmings & Notions Bridge st., Bridgewater. sep14:ly

F. WEINMAN, Manufacturer of Boots and Shoes. Bridge St., Bridgewater. (sep14:ly

MRS. BRICKS, Gentlemen's Clothing cleansed and pressed. Water St. above Bridge. (sep14:ly

JOHN WOODRUFF, Marble Cutter; Monuments & Tombstones of all descriptions made to order. Ft. Market and Water streets. (sep14:ly

J. SILES & CO Groceries, Queensware, Window Glass, Flour, Feed & Country Produce. Dunlap's corner, Bridge St. Bridgewater [sep21:ly

HIRAM MANOR, Dealer in Monongahela Coal. Orders left at B. Clark's, in Beaver, and at Smith's Drug Store, in Bridgewater, will be promptly attended to. Cash on delivery—Lowest price. Yard—McDonald's Point. sep28:ly

ROCHESTER.

HANKINS—Dealer in Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, and agents for Singer's Sewing machine, New York and B. St. Rochester. (feb22:ly

CROMUD GRUNDMISH, New work, of the best material, made to order. All work warranted. Repairing neatly done. Prices Low. Adam St., Rochester, Pa. jan18:ly

MRS. SMITH & CO., Fancy Dry Goods, Notions and Millinery. Madison st., near Diamond, Rochester, Pa. [sep14:ly

HENRY LAPP, Manufacturer and Dealer in Furniture of all kinds. Brighton st., above Pion Factory. See adv't. [sep14:ly

JOHN KARCHER, Baker and Confectioner.—Water st., Rochester, Pa. [sep14:ly

INGRAHAM BOYD, Wagon & Carriage Maker, Railroad st., Rochester, Pa. [sep14:ly

SAMUEL C. HANNES, Druggist. Prescriptions carefully compounded. Water st., Rochester. [sep14:ly

SPEYERER & SONS, wholesale & Retail Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Flour, Feed, Grain, Boot stores Iron & Nails. Cor. Water & James sts.

G. FRIEDERICK, Baker and Confectioner.—Wedding Cakes and Ice Cream furnished promptly. On Diamond, Rochester. [sep14:ly

FOR SALE by A. SILVERMAN, Headquarters for Foreign & Domestic Dry Goods, Notions, Trimmings and Fancy Goods generally. Water street, Rochester, Pa. [sep14:ly

MILLER & CO., Contractors and Builders, Manufacturers of Sash, Doors, Shutters &c, Dealers in Lumber Lath &c Rochester. [sep14:ly

SCOTT, BOYLE & WILLIAMS, Successors to C. Tilton & Co., Dealers in Sawed and Planed Lumber, Lath & Shingles, Rochester. apr28:ly

POWER'S LIVERY STABLE & COAL YARD, between R. R. station and Ohio river. oct8:ly

SCHROPP CHAS., Manufacturer of and dealer in Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware. Roofing, Spouting &c. attended to. N. York st. oct19:ly

STEPPLER & CLARK, proprietors of Johnston House. Good accommodations and good stable. Near P. R. Depot. oct19:ly

J. C. MILLER, dealer in Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, &c. Repairing done neatly and promptly. Shop on the Diamond, Rochester, Pa. oct19:ly

J. WALTER & BROTHER, Manufacturers of Buggies, Coaches, Buggies, Springwagons, Carriages, &c. Blacksmithing and horse-shoeing done in the best manner. Rochester, Pa. no16:y

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THOMAS THOMPSON & CO.—Dealers in Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, Hats & Caps, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Queensware, Glassware, &c., Cor Broadway & Cook sts. E. Liverpool [mar3:ly

M. HILL & CO. Druggist, Broadway, near R. R. Prescriptions carefully and accurately compounded. feb3:ly

MISCELLANEOUS.

JOHN THORNILEY, Manufacturer of the Great Republic Cooking Stove, and Patentee of Portable extension top and centre. Fallston, Pa.

ALBERT RUSSELL, Stoneware Manufacturer. All Orders promptly attended to. Vanport, Pa. Post office address—Beaver, Pa. [sep14:ly

HAVING Permanently located in the village of Zelienople, Pa., for the purpose of practicing Medicine, I respectfully tender my professional services to the citizens of said village and vicinity. Office in residence, opposite Eagle Hotel, where I shall always be found, unless professionally engaged. All calls will receive immediate and prompt attention. A. V. CUNNINGHAM, M. D. sep21:ly

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THOS. M'CREERY, Cashier.
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J. B. M'CREERY.

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Miscellaneous.

Dry Goods, Carpets &c.

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N. B. Mr. H. S. OLIVER, Salesman, formerly of Beaver county, would be pleased to see his many friends. [apr5:3m

MRS. HART DARRAGH, Sharon, Beaver county, Pa., PORTRAIT AND PHOTOGRAPH PAINTER, is prepared to do all work in her line at reasonable rates and on short notice. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. mr22:71:ly

JOHN V. M'DONALD, GEO. C. SPEYERER, W. J. SPEYERER, H. J. SPEYERER, Clerk'P.

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White and Colored and Barred Flannels,
Merinoes,
Delaines,
Plaids,
Ginghams,
Coburgs,
Lawns,
Water Proofs,
Chinchilla.
Cloths,
Woollen Shawls

Brown and Bleached Muslins,
Drillings, Tickings,
Prints,
Canton
Flannels,
Jeconets,
Table Linen,
Irish Linen,
Crash,
Counterpanes,
Hosiery,
Gloves,
Mitts.

Groceries,

Coffee, Teas, Sugar, Molasses, White Silver Drips, Golden and Common Syrups, Mackerel in barrels and kits, Star and Tallow Candles, Soap, Spices and Mince Meat. Also, SALT.

Hardware, Nails, Glass,

Door Locks, Door Latches, Hinges, Screws, Table Cutlery, Table and Tea Spoons, Sleigh Bells, Coal Boxes, Fire Shovels and Pokers, Nails and Glass, spades, Shovels, 2, 3 and 4 tine Forks, Rakes, Scythes and Snaths, Corn and Garden Hoes.

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Buckets, Tubs, Churns, Butter Prints and Ladles

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LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDRENS' SHOES, in great variety.

Rifle Powder and Shot,

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All heavy goods delivered free of charge.

By close attention to business, and by keeping constantly on hand a selected stock of goods of all the different kinds usually kept in a country store, the undersigned hopes in the future as in the past to merit and receive a liberal share of the public patronage.

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LUMBER-YARD.

Doors, Sash

AND SHINGLES

Constantly on hands, and made to order.

Rochester, Pa.

Orders by mail will receive prompt attention. Mar8:71—1y

Administrator's Notice.—The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of William Ramsey, deceased, late of Hanover township, Beaver county, Pa., hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate that immediate payment is required. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement. apr26:6w.] WILLIAM H. FRAZIER, *Adm'r.*

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oct5:'70-1y.

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Rags taken in exchange. [sep13,'70:1f

Railroads.

RAILROADS.

PITTS., FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY. On and after Dec'r. 4th, 1870. Trains will leave Stations daily, (Sundays excepted) as follows—[Train leaving Chicago at 5.35, P. M., leaves Rochester, &c., Train leaving Pittsburgh at 2.55 P. M., leaves daily.]

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Mail.	Exp's
Pittsburgh	12.5Am	10.55Am	7.10Am	2.20Pm
Rochester	3.43	1.30Pm	8.40	4.22
Salem				
Alliance	5.05	3.00	1.45	7.00
Canton				
Massillon				
Orrville	6.54	4.45	1.28Pm	8.38
Wooster				
Mansfield	9.08	6.23	4.03	10.29
Crestline	9.55	7.05	5.00	11.10
Crestline	10.05	7.45	5.35Am	11.10
Bucyrus				
Upper Sandusky				
Forest	11.27	9.23	7.23	1.35Am
Lima	1.20Pm	10.40	9.00	1.55
Van Wert				
Fort Wayne	3.30	1.45Am	1.45	3.50
Columbia				
Warsaw				
Plymouth	4.50	3.37	2.25Pm	6.30
Valparaiso				
Chicago	7.30	7.00	5.55	9.00

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Mail.	Exp's
Chicago	9.00Am	5.15Pm	6.50Am	9.00Pm
Valparaiso				
Plymouth	1.25Pm	9.0	9.50	1.25Am
Warsaw				
Columbia				
Fort Wayne	3.35	1.30	1.55Pm	3.50
Van Wert				
Lima	4.06	2.35Am	2.23	4.40
Forest	5.58	3.43	4.13	7.07
Upper Sandusky				
Bucyrus				
Crestline	6.30	4.20	5.05	8.55
Crestline	6.50	4.20	6.00Am	9.35
Mansfield	7.17	5.00	6.40	10.06
Wooster				
Orrville	9.05	6.54	9.15	11.55
Massillon				
Canton				
Alliance	10.15	8.50	11.30	1.30Pm
Salem				
Rochester	12.55Am	11.05	3.35Pm	5.57
Pittsburgh	1.55	1.21Pm	3.45	6.40

Youngstown, New Castle and Erie Express leaves Youngstown at 2.30 p. m; New Castle, 3.00 p.m; arrives at Pittsburgh, 5.30 p. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh 7.00 a. m; arr. at New Castle, 10.45 a. m. Youngstown, 10.30, a. m.

Youngstown, New Castle and Pittsburgh Accommodation leaves Youngstown, 6.40 a. m; New Castle, 9.30 a. m; arrives at Allegheny, 10.10 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh, 2.00 p. m; arrives New Castle, 4.45 p.m.

F. R. MYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD. On and after May 29th, 1870, trains will leave Stations daily (Sundays excepted) as follows.

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom
Cleveland	8.40Am	12.15Pm	3.30Pm
Euclid Street			
Hudson	4.55	1.25	5.10
Ravenna	5.30	1.55	5.40
Alliance	7.30	3.35	6.30
Bayard	7.50Pm	3.50	
Wellsville	1.35	4.30	

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom
Wellsville	9.00Am	5.58Pm	
Bayard	10.15	6.28	
Alliance	11.35	7.15	7.25Am
Ravenna	12.30Pm	8.01	8.15
Hudson	12.53	8.34	8.55
Euclid Street			
Cleveland	3.10	9.45	10.10

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	Accom	Mail.	Exp's	Accom
Bellair	5.45Am	....	9.02Pm	4.10Pm
Bridgeport	6.05	....	9.10	4.30
Steubenville	7.00	....	9.15	5.35
Wellsville	8.15	1.35Pm	4.40	
Smith's Ferry	....	....	....	
Beaver	....	....	....	
Rochester	9.25	2.35	5.40	
Pittsburgh	10.55	4.00	6.45	

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp's.	Accom	Accom
Pittsburgh	6.25Am	3.10Pm	4.25Pm	
Rochester	7.55	4.10	5.37	
Beaver	....	....	....	
Smith's Ferry	....	....	....	
Wellsville	8.55	5.00	7.00	7.05Am
Steubenville	9.53	6.30		8.15
Bridgeport	11.05	7.22		9.15
Bellair	11.15	7.33		8.30

TUSCARAWAS BRANCH.

Leaves	Arrives
N. Philadelphia, 6.40 a. m.	Bayard, 9.45, a.m.
Bayard, 2.10 a.m.	N. Philadelphia, 3.00pm

F. R. MYERS, General Ticket Agent.

Miscellaneous.

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Good Medium Black French Silks, from $1 to $2 per yard.

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Fancy Dress Silks in Stripes, Checks and Plain Colors—a complete assortment.

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All New Designs in Spring Dress Goods.

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A Large Assortment of

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BRUSHES &

PATENT MEDICINES,

Main Street, Beaver Pa. [Dec7, '70tf.

J. H. McCREERY.

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Third Street, Beaver, Pa.

Office below the Court House, Beaver, Pa. jan23:tf

WILLIAM BARNES, dealer in Boots Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., next door to Porter's Tin shop, Bridge street, Bridgewater, Pa., where he is prepared to manufacture and sell everything in his line at reasonable rates. Having removed his place of business from the corner near the Bridge to his present location, he invites his old friends and patrons to give him a call. may25'71:ly.

Medicinal.

A REMINDER.

To Debilitated Persons,
To Dyspeptics,
To Sufferers from Liver Complaint,
To those having no Appetite,
To those with Broken Down Constitutions,
To Nervous People,
To Children Wasting Away,
To any with Debilitated Digestive Organs,

Or Suffering with any of the following Symptoms, which indicate Disordered Liver or Stomach,

such as Constipation, Inward Piles, Fullness or Blood in the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness, or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head, Hurried and Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the heart, Choking or Suffering Sensations when in a lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Fever and Dull Pains in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c.; Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil, & Great Depression of Spirits.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS.

A Bitters without Alcohol or Spirits of any kind.

Is different from all others. It is composed of the pure Juices, or **Vital Principle of Roots, Herbs and Barks,** (or as medicinally termed Extracts,) the worthless or inert portions of the ingredients not being used. Therefore, in one Bottle of these Bitters there is contained as much medicinal virtues as will be found in several gallons of ordinary mixtures. The Roots, &c., used in this Bitters, are grown in Germany, their vital principles extracted in that country by a scientific Chemist, and forwarded to the manufactory in this city, where they are compounded and bottled. Containing no spirituous ingredients, this Bitters is free from the objections urged against all others; no desire for stimulents can be induced from their use, they cannot make drunkards, and cannot under any circumstances, have any but a beneficial effect.

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HOOFLAND'S

German Bitters,

OR

HOOFLAND'S

GERMAN TONIC,

WITH

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PODOPHYLLIN PILL.

WILL CURE YOU.

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Republican State Ticket.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,
DAVID STANTON.
FOR SURVEYOR GENERAL,
ROBERT B. BEATH.

BE ON YOUR GUARD.

As this is the last week of the canvass for nominations, we would caution our Republican friends in the several districts, to be on their guard against false stories and accusations that it is believed will be put into circulation, either verbally or by hand-bill, just on the eve of the primary meetings, against one or two candidates. Let them be met promptly, and nailed to the counter as all base coin ought to be nailed.

COMMITTEE MEN.

We hope our Republican friends will not underestimate the importance of selecting the right kind of men as members of the County Committee. Let it not be made a matter of public boasting, as last year, that the Committee had been "set-up" according to programme, for a certain purpose, and in the interest of certain men. Discard those seedy politicians, that are to be found in every district, and select only good, honest, judicious men, having the welfare of the party at heart, who cannot be used by unprincipled tricksters.

A CRYING EVIL.

For several years past, there has been a reprehensible practice of sending out runners on the Sabbath, from this place to different parts of the county, to gather up the returns of the primary meetings, in advance of the meeting of the County Convention. We hope the practice will be discountenanced and discontinued, as not only a shameless desecration of the Lord's day, and outrage upon the feelings of church-going people, but a stinging reproach to the people. Let the friends, therefore, of law and good order, set their faces as flint against this practice, and give those persons guilty of it, such a reception, that they will not wish soon to repeat it.

THE attempt to deny that a number of rural Republicans were brought to Beaver last Saturday afternoon, and *instructed*, in the *Radical* office, for whom to electioneer and vote on next Saturday, excites a good deal of merriment on the part of those who are cognizant of all the facts. A "leaky" member of the "slate" making fraternity divulged the whole proceedings not five minutes after coming down the *Radical* office stairway.

THE latest news from France is to the effect that the bloody civil war is about drawn to a close, the Versailists having forced an entrance to Paris, and now occupy it with about 75,000 troops. The Communists are summoned to surrender.

THE national Lincoln monument, at Oak Ridge Cemetery, Springfield, Illinois, is to be completed about the 1st of July. The Monument Association has decided to celebrate the occasion with appropriate services. The remains of the martyr President are to be transmitted to the new vault in the base of the monument. It is probable that the President and Vice-President of the United States, the heads of departments, the Supreme Court, Senators and Representatives in Congress, the Governor and members of the Illinois Legislature, and other distinguished persons will participate in the ceremonies.

THE position taken by our Harrisburg correspondent, last week relative to the apportionment bill, we find corroborated by the correspondent of the Monongahela *Republican*, of May 18th. The writer says:

"It has not been in vain, therefore, that a few of us have strenuously insisted upon the right of a county to elect its own representatives. This I have done as your correspondent, before a single vote was taken on the party bills violating it. When, therefore, such papers as the Washington *Reporter*, denounce me as a scribbler and democrat, I find in this action of a Republican committee every solace, if needing any more than the consciousness of being right. But another significant matter may be mentioned in this connection. The Governor set in message to both Houses informing them that the Apportionment bill had in some law by the expiration of ten days. This was on that which he would not veto it, he could not affix his signature to it, for he could not approve it. Why? If he was asked his objections, the very first place upon which he would place his finger, would be that part which makes a triple representative district of the three gerrymandered counties of Washington, Beaver, and Butler."

THE coal riots, at Scranton, Pa., have not yet ceased. On Wednesday evening last, as the laborers of Briggs's Shaft were returning to their houses, escorted by a small squad of Soldiers, they were assaulted by a crowd of about two hundred Welsh miners who threw stones and other missels at them. Two of the laborers were struck, one on the breast and the other on the leg by large stones, upon which a soldier leveled his gun at one of the assailants and fired, killing Benjamin Davis and David Jones, Welsh miners. The laborers were peaceable, molesting no one, and not even replying to the insults which were showered upon them by their assailants. The soldiers only retaliated when they were assaulted with stones. Only one shot was fired—that which killed the two men. Public opinion fully justifies the act, and it is hoped it will have a salutary effect on that class who have instituted a reign of terror and lawlessness at Scranton.

THE Hon. John Greiner, ex-Governor of New-Mexico, and author, of the once famous "Log Cabin" songs of the political campaign of 1840, died in Toledo on Saturday 13th inst. He was a resident of Columbus, Ohio, and was attending the Grand Lodge of Odd-Fellows at Toledo when he was struck with paralysis. Mr. Greiner was born in 1810, and removed to the State of Ohio when a boy. He was at one time editor of *The State Journal*, at Columbus, and afterward of *The Gazette*, at the same place, and of *The Zanesville City Times*. He took active part in the early Whig campaigns of the State; in fact, as the author of the "Log Cabin Songs" and other popular political ballads, he was one of the leaders of the party. Among his songs still familiar, in their titles at least, even to the younger men of the present day, are "Tippecanoe and Tyler too," and "Old Zip Coon." He composed the music to accompany his songs, and the people seized upon both air and words with enthusiasm and eagerness. He frequently sang his own songs at immense gatherings during the excitement of the campaign; and other tongues than his echoed them at monster Whig meetings in all parts of the country, North and South. Mr. Greiner was appointed Indian Agent by President Taylor, and President Fillmore afterward appointed him Governor of New-Mexico. He was absent in the far West about nine years. On his return he found political combinations with which he was unfamiliar, and in which he took little interest. The relative positions of men whom he had ridiculed or prised were in many cases changed, and he has been heard of but little during late years. At the time of his death, he had retired from editorial duties, and was engaged in business at Columbus.

IN our issue of to-day will be found the proceedings of the Republican State Convention held at Harrisburg, on the 17th inst. They were harmonious; and, we are pleased to note, of that high order of patriotism and determined watchfulness for the interests of the people of the State, as to warrant the belief that their results will be to heal all disaffectedness in the great Republican party of the State, and secure its triumph at the next election. The resolutions were all of such a character as to meet the hearty approval of every reflecting man of the party; but especially do we commend that one which calls for an amendment of the State Constitution to prohibit special Legislation—which benefits the few to the detriment of the many. Equally rejoiced will the mass of our citizens be that the party, through its State Convention, have broken ground for the abolition of the tax on personal property.

As an entirety, the proceedings of the Convention meet our hearty approval as ranking high in the scale of intellectual research for the welfare of public interests, and the good of the people at large. Beaver county has been honored in the selection of one of her citizens to lead the Republican State ticket in the next political canvass. Dr. DAVID STANTON, of New Brighton, has been nominated for Auditor General of the State. We gladly hoist to the mast-head his name; and hope he will receive the full vote of his party in Beaver county, where he is known and highly esteemed. It is unnecessary for us to give a history of his character. He ranks high in the estimation of his fellow-citizens.

Col. ROBERT B. BEATH, who is nominated for Surveyor General, is an equally good man and altogether worthy of public esteem. He is an honest, unostentatious citizen in whom the people of his section of the State repose the utmost confidence. He is a resident of Schuylkill Co. His selection was judicious, and cannot fail of the hearty approval of the party. With such a ticket we must triumph.

THEY have had a fearful illustration of the insane folly of walking on railways, at Sharon, Vt. Miss Parkhurst, so walking, fainted and fell on the track just as a train came round a curve at full speed. Her mother was with her, and made frantic but vain efforts to remove her, and she was killed; "her body," says the account, "being crushed and mangled in such a way as to leave only a mass of flesh and bones on the track." The peculiarity of these accidents is that they seem to convey little or no warning; most people in the country at least go on using the track for a foot-path all the same, if it affords the shortest cut from one point to another, and using it, too, in violation of the law. Under such circumstances, what can even the most careful engine drivers do to avert fatal catastrophes? What could they have done, for instance, to save Robert W. Fields, at Great Barrington, Mass., who used the track of the Housatonic Railroad, the other day, for a highway, being also inebriated, and being, of course, found dead on Sunday morning, "in a frightfully mutilated condition?" Then consider the carelessness of parents! A child 18 months old, at Westboro, Mass., last week, selected the railway track for a play-ground, and was killed, also, as a matter of course. These accidents must be mournfully accepted, we suppose, as inevitable results of the railway system. It's of no use to say that human beings might be wiser—we are not by any means sure of it. So in making up the profits and loss of railways we must set down public convenience, and, *per contra* so many people to be killed.

THE latest dates from Mexico inform us that Tampico continues in a state of revolution. The town is defended by a force of four hundred men who have had several fights with the Federal troops outside the walls. General Rocha Escabodo's right hand man has left San Luis Potosi for Tampico professedly to suppress the revolution, but is suspected of an intention to organize the revolution in favor of Lerdo and to obtain the command of the Federals also to aid in efforts now making to corrupt and divide the army. It is believed there will be no Presidential election by the people, and that choice of President will devolve upon Congress, which it is expected will be largely composed of partisans of Lerdo. Juarez is using the public funds, and Lerdo his own private funds to accomplish the purpose of the Presidential campaign. Whoever may be elected, his opponent will inaugurate a revolution and assume the Presidency by force of arms. The friends of Porfiero Diaz are powerless. Samucona is their leader, and he as handling the party in favor of Lerdo.

—One of the strongest passions of childhood is to stuff itself with noxious and indigestible food; and even judicious parents—there are not too many of them—forbid and protest and spank in vain. A boy, ten years old, gorged himself to death at New London, Conn., last Wednesday with "raisins and cocoanut candy"—the poor, young involuntary suicide! It is presumed that this fated lad perpetrated the fatal deed upon the sly; but a great many children kill themselves at the family board, only a little more slowly, and right under the affectionate "parental nose; and are even pressed to eat after their little abdomens are as tight as drumheads. There is no help for it. In this world there must be fools and funerals.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The State Convention of the Republican party convened at Harrisburg on the 17th, and effected a temporary organization by calling Jas. R. Kelly of Washington county to the chair. Hon. William Elliott was elected permanent chairman of the Convention, and Josiah Cohen and John Lamlie were chosen Secretaries.

The following nominations were made for Auditor General:

Colonel David Stanton, of Beaver; Col. Francis C. Hooten, of Chester; Gen. Harrison Allen, of Warren. A ballot resulted in Stanton ninety-five, Hooten sixteen, Allen twenty-two. Dr. Stanton's nomination was made unanimous amid applause.

Col. Robert B. Beath, of Schuykill, and Samuel L. Smedley, of Philadelphia, were nominated for Surveyor General—Gen. Wilson, of Center, and Col. Campbell, of Cambria, were also nominated, but declined. Ballot—Beath eighty-seven, Smedley forty. The nomination of Col. Beath was made unanimous amid loud applause. Dr. Stanton and Col. Beath were waited on by a committee, informed of their nomination, and conducted to the Convention, where they were received with prolonged applause. Dr. Stanton made a speech, which was exceedingly well received. He was followed by Col. Beith, who said he was ready for work. All he wanted was a good platform, so he could carry the old banner under which he fought to victory. The speech was vociferiously applauded.

THE PLATFORM.

Mr. Errett, from the Committee on Resolutions, reported the following:

The Republicans of Pennsylvania, assembled in Convention, declare: *First*, We demand of the Legislature the immediate passage of an act calling a State Convention to revise and amend the Constitution, for the purpose, among other things, of abolishing and prohibiting special legislation [applause]; securing the election of all State officers by the people [applause]; establishing a judiciary system which will make justice prompt and sure, and providing for the passage of general laws that shall so encourage industrial enterprise that Pennsylvania will be entitled to take her just place in the front rank of all the States. [Applause.]

Second, We demand of Congress that the credit of the nation be faithfully maintained, home industry encouraged and protected, and an adequate civil service system established for regulating appointments to office; taxes reduced to the lowest possible limits consistent with the steady but not too rapid extinction of the national debt; the honor of the Republic sustained at home and abroad, the rights of every man protected in all States, and every man entitled thereto secured in the polling of one vote and no more at each election. [Loud applause.]

Third, They declare their unalterable attachment to the principle of protection to home industry in the levying of tariff duties in accordance with the wise policy which has existed since the formation of the Government.

Fourth, They commend the policy of retrenchment and wholesale enforcement of the laws, which has prevailed since General Grant was elected to the Presidency, and which has resulted, in the first two years of his administration, in reducing the national debt over two hundred millions, and curtailing taxes to the extent of eighty millions annually. They also commend the similar policy which has prevailed under Republican rule in Pennsylvania, resulting in the paying off of the war debt of three and a half millions, reducing the State debt from forty to thirty millions, and in abolishing the State tax on real estate. It is to the fact that both the State and nation have been in Republican hands that we owe the accomplishment of such gratifying results; to the continuance of that party in power the people must alone look for the continuance of this policy. The return of the Democrats to power, either in the State or nation, must inevitably be attended with the return of extravagance in expenditures, to the impairment of the State and national credit, and the abandonment of that protection to free labor under which our industry has thriven and the people have been made prosperous.

Fifth, That in the judgment of this Convention the time has now come when the State tax on personal estate may be safely abolished, and other taxes imposed by State laws may be prudently reduced without injuring the credit of the Commonwealth.

Sixth. That as an indication of what the people may fear from the return of the Democratic party to power, we point to the criminal waste of the time and money of the people by the present Democratic majority in the State Senate. [Applause.] The Legislature has now been nearly five months in session, and is not nearly through its legitimate business, owing to the obstructive policy of this majority. All this time scarcely a measure of public interest has been perfected, and the time has been wasted in their efforts to force on the State an unjust apportionment, and break down the registry law against illegal voting, that they might thereby pave the way to their return to power through violence and fraud. [Applause.]

Seventh, We commend to the support of the people of the State the candidates this day nominated for state officers. They are honest, capable, and faithful to the Constitution and in every way worthy of public confidence. We ask their election as an indorsement of the State and national administrations, and as an approval of the time-honored principles of the Republican party, which we reaffirm in their nomination, and as a fitting rebuke to the Democratic party for its destructive national policy; for its adherence to the side of violence and wrong in the South, and for the spirit it betrayed in the Senate of this State this winter, where it has made everything bend to the promotion of partisan interests, defeated the holding of a State convention to amend the constitution, wasted the public time in childish trifling, and entailed upon the State a huge bill of expense for a season prolonged beyond endurance, and which has prevented the accomplishment of any public good. [Applause.]

Eighth, That our own confidence in the firmness, wisdom and integrity of our present worthy Governor, John W. Geary, remains unshaken, and that we believe his qualifications for the office he now holds are unquestionable, as clearly proved by the manner in which he has brought the State in safety through every storm. [Applause.]

Ninth, That the administration of President Grant meets the full approval of the Republican party of Pennsylvania. [Applause.] His financial policy, by which the national debt is being steadily reduced, the reduction in the expenditures of the Government, the honest collection of the revenue, his fidelity to the principles of human rights, through which the liberty of all is to be secured in every part of the land, his loyalty to the people in having no policy to enforce against their will, and the spotless integrity of his administration, commend him to the continued confidence of the American people. [Applause.]

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

SKETCHES OF THE CANDIDATES.

The nominations gave entire satisfaction, and inspire an enthusiasm which augurs the triumphant election of the ticket. Dr. Stanton is a man of great force of character, and commands the respect and confidence of the rank and file of the party. He sides in New Brighton, Beaver county, where he is widely esteemed as a medical practitioner. He is a son of the late Dr. Benjamin Stanton, of Ohio, who was a brother of Edwin M. Stanton, and bears a strong resemblance to his distinguished uncle. In 1861 he entered the service as surgeon of the First Pennsylvania Cavalry; in 1862 was promoted to surgeon of volunteers, and from that time till 1865 acted as superintendent of hospitals and medical director on the staffs of Heintzelman and Hooker. In 1865 he was made Brevet Colonel. He was an original Abolitionist, is a man of decided ability and culture, and will make an excellent officer.

Colonel Beath, who was reputed as unpopular with the working classes, and whose nomination was so warmly contested by Smedley, who, although engaged as book-keeper in a large colliery in Schuykill, and associated with capitalists, is nevertheless popular with the miners, and entirely acceptable to the workingmen. So great is their confidence in his fairness and judgment that they have frequently made him arbitrator in their disputes, and always found him liberal in advocating their interests. He is a workingman himself, having served an apprenticeship at the great Southwark foundry of Merrick & Sons, Philadelphia. He entered as a private in 1861, and in 1862 was promoted to Second Lieutenant, in 1863 to Captain, and in 1865 to Lieutenant Colonel. He was wounded in the foot at Second Bull Run, and in a charge on the rebel works at New Market received an injury, which caused the amputation of his right leg below the knee. He served as Captain in the Sixth United States colored troops in front of Petersburg, and on the James, and is a true type of the American soldier.

THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

In the proper column will be found a full report of the proceeding of the Republican State Convention, held at Harrisburg yesterday. Except as a matter of formality, it is hardly necessary for us to say that the nominations made and the platform of principles adopted receive our hearty and unqualified approval and support. The duty which the Convention was called to perform was of the most important character, and it has been well and satisfactorily discharged. It was necessary that the candidates to be nominated should not only be men of the highest respectability, but able to command the vote of the whole party. Knowing that the present campaign is but the forerunner of the greater struggle of next year, the Democracy intend to leave no stone unturned to carry the State, in which purpose, had unwise nominations upon an unsatisfactory platform prevailed, they would probably have succeeded. But this danger the wisdom and patriotism of the Convention has averted. The men who have been selected as our standard bearers are men who command the respect of the whole party, and will bring out every vote; while the platform on which they stand has in it not only the elements but the prestige of victory, and will commend itself to the approbation of hundreds of honest Democrats not less than to the entire Republican organization. Look at it. Study it. Observe its clear incisive utterances, its brave, honest ring. It declares in favor of the prohibition of special legislation, for the filling of all State offices by the vote of the people, for reforms in the judiciary, for the encouragement of home industry, for the maintenance of national credit, for civil service reform, for the reduction of taxation to the lowest degree consistent with our home and foreign obligations, for the vindication of the rights of every man in every State, for the purity of the ballot-box, for the abolition of the State tax on personal estate, and a prudent reduction of other taxes. Such, briefly, is the platform, which is in full sympathy with the best ideas and purposes of the age, and such are the candidates—honest, faithful, capable, and every way worthy of public confidence. The indorsement which the Convention gave to the State and National administrations is fully deserved. They have not been infamous, but they have been efficient, honest, and conscientious, and have fairly earned a vote of confidence from the people. A suggestive feature of the Convention was the enthusiasm with which the amendment of Judge Shannon to the last resolution was received, and the heavy majority by which "the honored leader of our party now" was declared to be the "proper standard bearer of the Republican Party in 1872." Now then for work. A long pull, a strong pull, and a pull altogether. We hoist the names of the candidates at our head.—*Pittsburgh Commercial*.

LYNCH LAW IN NEBRASKY.

A New Yorker Hanged for a Double Murder—Confessing Another Murder in Kentucky—A Speech on the Gallows.

YANKTON, DAKOTA, May 15.—James Jamison alias McBeath, was hanged by a mob at Helena, Nebraska. He was arrested near Omaha last week for the murder of Henry Locke, a German wood-cutter, living in Cedar County, in October last, and was brought to Helena for trial. There was no doubt as to his identity, or of his guilt, and quite a crowd gathered at Helena to meet him.

He confessed the murder, which was a cold blooded one, and three other murders of which he was accused, he having escaped from jail here on a similar charge a day or two before the murder in Nebraska was committed. He objected to being hanged, because he was unprepared to die, but not because of his innocence. He was at once strung up, but the rope broke, and it is stated he coolly smoked his pipe while they were getting the rope ready again.

The whole affair, however, is reprehensible, and seems to have been conducted with equal coolness and deliberation on both sides. The murder with which he was charged when in jail here was the killing of a comrade near Fort Randall. He said a companion first shot the victim, and he afterward cut his throat.

YANKTON, May 15.—Further particulars relative to the hanging of the murderer Jameson at St. Helena, Neb., have been received. The prisoner confessed to the murder of John Coffrey, at Fort Buford, but claimed that his comrade, Swinder, shot him. He denied the murder of Locke until about 2 o'clock, by which time the crowd had increased to about 200. A vote had been taken, and he had been informed he would be hung. He then confessed to the murder of Locke, and on being taken to the porch said:

FELLOW CITIZENS: I have come to make a free and open confession of the crime I have committed I know that I will have to be hung and I only ask to be hung like a man. I have received a good deal of abuse for a murder committed at Fort Buford, the principal part of which was done by the man himself who testified against me. I killed the man Locke down here. I had a quarrel with him the day before, but that was no excuse. I had time to reflect; but I killed him. We were going through the timber together, I had some angry words, when I caught his axe and struck him twice, killing him immediately."

The prisoner's real name is John McBeath. He was 30 years old, and was born in New York. He went to Kentucky, where he served in the Union army, and came to Dakota in the Twenty-second Infantry. He had a sister at Bowling Green, Ky., and to her he bequeathed his house and four acres of land.

He confessed to killing a man in Kentucky before leaving, but said it was accidental. On Saturday night, after being taken across the river from here to Okheavy, a dose of strychnine was given him by a prisoner at Sioux City. The dose was too heavy, and he recovered, though he was sick yesterday from the effects.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18, 1871.

Since the late heavy rains the weather here is again perfectly delightful—cool, but clear, and the air is balmy and refreshing. All nature seems to put on her best suit, and fragrance which the beautiful foliage adorning our city imparts, produces in one's mind an ideal of Paradise itself.

At the meeting of the Democratic secret committee on Saturday, a lively discussion ensued as to the propriety of opposing the Ku-Klux Committee sitting in Washington during the summer to hear evidence, and to recommend its going through the South and take testimony in those sections in which the outrages are alleged to be committed. It is thought there will be much opposition on the part of the Republican members to assent to their wishes—if the latter be their wishes—as the Ku-Klux in the different sections would know the coming of the Committee and would intimidate the outraged with threats of violence in case of their being exposed, and thereby prevent the appearance before the committee such persons as would be willing to come to Washington—out of their way—and give correct testimony.

MINISTER WASHBURNE.

The report that Minister Washburne is expected to return to this country in a few weeks, is giving rise to numerous speculations as to the chances of his resigning his ministerial office and accepting a cabinet position. There seems, however, to be no good ground for such a rumor; it is only a Democratic canard to make the public distrust the stability of the administration.

MORAL DEPRAVITY.

Rache Bolster, formerly known as a prize fighter in the pugilistic fraternity, and now lodged in our city jail under the sentence of death, only the other day attacked one of his weakly fellow prisoners, and only for the guard in attendance at the jail, who came to his rescue, the unfortunate fellow would doubtless have been killed. Bolster is in almost daily receipt of affectionate letters from religious and respectable mother in Connecticut, appealing to his finer feeling to at once prepare for his inevitable doom. But no dupe yed is he that he seems, at heart, to take no notice of it—only for show does he seem at any time to be effected.

The roughs of the city are sparing no money or means through his counsel to get him granted a new trial.

PASSPORTS.

The State Department is issuing more than the usual number of passports to Europe, averaging one hundred daily. Congress, your readers will remember, repealed the law, charging five dollars each for them, and the result is that Uncle Sam is now the loser of $500 daily by the change.

THE SENATE PROCEEDINGS.

The extra session of the Senate is attracting more interest here than was at first anticipated. Members of the lower House are here in abundance, and the passage ways and rotunda of the Capitol, from 10 to 4 of each day, are thronged.

Rumor says that there has been very lively times in the executive session of the Senate since its meeting, over a resolution offered to appoint a committee to investigate as to the source of the publication of the treaty, and by whom a copy of it was furnished. Several were offered the treaty in advance by agents of some Senator or Senators for $300, which, being considered too high, was refused.

Indications are now that the Senate, when being assured that no Senator has been implicated in the transaction, will drop the matter with the consolation that it is never too late to learn, and that this affair is a lesson to them.

NO VOTE THIS WEEK.

There is no hope of the Senate reaching a vote on the treaty this week. Had the Senate been left undisturbed, or less it might have been able to come to a vote on it to-morrow or next day. This delay, however, it is thought, may be for the best, as it will afford the Senate an opportunity of judging the temper of Parliament through Lord Russell's speech on Monday next.

THE INDIANS—STILL THEY COME.

The Interior Department has been advised of the coming of several Indian delegations to Washington in a short time; among the number are representatives of Comanches, Kiowas, and Arapahoes. Of course, they will come with some complaints hatched and cooked up for them by white agents and contractors; but doubtless with not so many and not so grievous as last year. Still there seems yet to be a combined effort made on the one side to harrow up all the atrocities ever committed by the red man without giving the occasion for such crimes, and on the other, to exaggerate the ill-treatment of them by the white man, and laud them for every act however inhuman. A gentleman formerly of the Western frontier, but for the past six years a resident of Washington, has been engaged on "Woodhull's" paper in New York to write articles on the Indian side of the question.

THE KU KLUX OUTRAGE COMMITTEE

The Joint Committee on the Ku Klux outrages met at the Capital for business yesterday but on account of the absence of several members of it, it was decided to adjourn over till to-day. Every effort is being made to secure the attendance of every member, several having already been telegraphed to, that the interest of the country demands their immediate presence.

EXCURSION.

Since his last your correspondent has had the pleasure of being one of an excursion party which has just returned from a flying visit to Cincinnati, and cannot with justice to the Railroad companies over whose roads he has passed, allow this opportunity to escape without making mention of the trip, and express on behalf of the others of the party and himself, thanks to the companies and their most efficient officers for kind treatment.

Three trains pass over this road to and fro daily, leaving Washington respectively, 6-45 a. m, 3 and 8 p. m. The Relay House is the first point of much interest, being the junction of the Washington branch of the B. & O. R. R. with the main stem. From thence to Patapsco river, we passed through a beautiful country interspersed with a variety of scenery. Elliottsville (formerly known as Elliotts mills) with a population of 4000, has extensive cotton mills, favored with immense water power. Thence to Monocasy, a place well remembered by many of our Union soldiers where they had to encounter, in a hard fought battle, Early's raid.

Next comes Harpers Ferry, a town so well known in connection with our late war, but little need be said of it, save, perhaps, to note that we were informed by a citizen of that place, that the people really believed while John Brown's body lies mouldering in the ground, his soul is still marching on; and with all, the John Brown's raids, the dire calamities befalling them during the late war, and subsequently, the destruction of life and property by floods—through all and surprise of the B. & O. R. R company and the people of this road has been instrumental in settling in their town—in five years hence Harpers Ferry and the country surrounding it, will be more prosperous by far than ever before.

Martinsburg only a few miles beyond, terminating the first section of the road and exactly 100 miles from Baltimore, is fast building up since the war, the railroad having extensive machine shops for building of both engines and cars.

Cumberland 79 miles still further on, is a most enterprising town, and the junction of the Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R. which was opened at the beginning of the present month, affording direct communication from New York Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington to the far west. At this point the B. & O. R. R. Co. has large iron works, turning out 175 tons of steel rails per day, of which the Marietta and Cincinnati road uses 70 for their road.

Only an hour and a half's ride on our journey from Cumberland, and we come to Piedmont, which name indicates "foot of the Mountain." Here we ascend the mountain (winding around it) a distance of 17 miles and come to the glades many thousand feet above the level of the sea, having before us 25 miles of comparative level country, passing on our way to the town of Oakland, containing a population of about 2000, which has been built since the opening of the road. The beautiful and bracing atmosphere of this town is making it, of late, a summer resort for many pleasure seekers.

Several more pieces of interest between Oakland and Parkersburg might be mentioned, but for want of time. The great iron bridge of the Marietta and Cincinnati road, over the Ohio river at Parkersburg, is not, however, to be lost sight of. This bridge, without exception, is considered one of the grandest pieces of architecture in this country, or perhaps in the world. It is almost entirely of iron and elevated to such a height as to almost seem to be over a counterable portion of the city of Parkersburg. It has two channel spans of 350 feet each; four river spans of 210 each; five spans of 120 each; two spans of 125; eight, 100 each; twelve, 50 each; three, 62 each; and stone approaches 65—making in all 4,552 feet in length. CHIEL.

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DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Watch, Clock and Jewelry business, on Broadway, New Brighton, was dissolved on the 15th of May, 1871. The accounts will be collected and the debts paid by C. F. Winter, who will continue the business at the old stand. O. F. WINTER.
may24-3w] W. L. BEDISON.

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List of Causes for Trial, June Term, '71.

J W Mucklin	vs William Kennedy
Wm Schmucker et ux	" W H Wiseman
Stephen Clark	" C H Hall & Co.
Coates, Brothers	" John Dilworth
James Calder et al	" J C Wilson et al
S W Mitchell	" Beaver Falls Cutlery Co
Thomas H Jackson	" Esther Squires et al
Joseph Anderson	" J W Johnston
James Erwin's adm'rs	" T B White
George White et al	" George Graham
John C Duff	" J M McMillen et al
Thornton Walton	" J P Aleman
Johnson, use of Woods	" Harison Mudenhall
John C Duff	" J M McMillen et al
D H Couch	" James Troy's adm'rx
Elias T Taylor	" Thomas Poe
George W Barclay	" J M McMillen
James Miller	" W H Briggs et al
James M Brown et al	" James Frazier
Jason Richardson	" Richard Watson
John Stevenson et al	" Wm Ewing
Same	" J W Vance et al
Same	" Samuel Keiser
Same	" B F Keifer
Thomas Harper	" D H Newell et al
Hannah Cheney	" Wm E Cheney
James Watt	" Dennis Vaughn
W Jamieson	" Ruffle & Lenz
R M Dickey et al	" Joseph Britain
Wm Brant Jr. & Co	" C & P R R Co
John Megraw	" John Weddell et al

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Grey mixed Poplins, 16 cts; a good bargain.
Good Black Grenadines, 20 cts.
Nice stripe Grenadines, 25 cts—extra quality from France.
Grenadines, at 37 cts—extra bargain.
Finest qualities of Black Hernanies.
Black Silks, $1.00.
Black Gros Grain Silks, $1.25.
Japanese Silks, 87½ cts.

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PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A NEW SCHOOL HOUSE will be received by the Board of Directors of New Galilee borough, up to May 25th, for furnishing material and building school house—frame 50x30—two stories high. Specifications can be seen at the office of the Secretary. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The successful party will be required to give security for the faithful performance of contract. P. L. GILL, *Secretary.*
Board of Directors.
New Calilee, May 4, 1871—may10-3w.

Register's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Orphans' Court for the distribution and allowance, on Wednesday the 14th day of June, A. D., 1871.

Final account of S. B. Wilson, esq., Guardian of Minerva Arbuckle, minor child of Jas. Arbuckle, deceased.

Final account of Henry Barr, guardian of Josephine R. Royle (formerly J. R. Murray), child of James Murray, deceased.

Account of Fergus McClelland, guard'n of Robt. J. Beatty, minor son of John Beatty, deceased.

Account of C. R. Barrett, guardian of Mary E. Boak [formerly Mary E. McKee], daughter of Jas. McKee, deceased.

Final account of Samuel Stewart, executor of the will of Thomas Oliver, deceased.

Account of Thomas G Waddle, administrator of the estate of Charles Little, deceased.

Account of Dr. J. M. Witherow, guardian of Mary A. Havice, child of Abraham Havice, dec'd.

Account of Henry Phillis, executor of the will of John Feast, dec'd.

Account of Marmaduke Wilson, admr of Rich'd Gardner, deceased.

Accounts of Levi A Shever, guardian of Mary & Sarah Shever, minor children of Michael Shever, deceased.

Account of John Stephenson, admr of the estate of James Montgomery, dec'd.

Account of J. P. Martin, guardian of Wm. J. Eakin, minor son of Wm. Eakin, dec'd.

Final account of R. E. Hopes, executor of the will of Abraham Walker, dec'd.

Final account of D. Dawson & S. Duncan, Exr's of the will of George Christ'r, dec'd.

The partial account (real) of Sam B. Wilson, esq., executor of the last will and testament of John Shively, late of the county of Beaver, dec'd., as to the proceeds of sales of the real estate of said testator, sold by said executor under and by virtue of the authority and power contained in said will.

The final account (personal) of Sam B. Wilson, executor of the last will and testament of John Shively, late of the borough of Beaver, dec'd.

The account (personal) of D. H. Stone, executor of the will of Charles Stone, dec'd.

May17,tc. D. SINGLETON, *Reg*

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Miscellaneous.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Whereas, in and by an order of the Court of Quarter Sessions held and for the County of Beaver at March Sessions, 1870, A. P. Laccock, John Edgar and Joseph Irvin were appointed Commissioners to determine the location and lay out that part of the Mercer and Beaver State road, lying between the roads no. of E. F. Townsend and the bridge over Block Horse run on the road leading from New Brighton to Rochester.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners so appointed will meet at the New Brighton railway station on Friday, June 2d, at 9 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of attending to the duties of their appointment, at which time and place those interested may attend if they think proper.
may10-3t.] A. P. LACOCK.

NOTICE.—I have applied to the Court of Common Pleas of Beaver County for the benefit of the insolvent laws of the Commonwealth, and the said Court have appointed the first day of June Term, 1871, at the Court House in Beaver, for the hearing of me and my creditors.
Darlington, May 1, 1871.—3w* WILLIAM M'CARTER.

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Beaver Academy. The Spring term of this institution will open on the 3d of March next, to continue 14 weeks. For terms, &c apply to C. C. HIGGS, *Prin.*
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State and County Tax.

THE County Treasurer will attend in the several Townships and boroughs for the purpose of receiving the State and County Taxes for the year 1871, at the places and times designated below, viz:

Baltimore and 8 Falls, May 25 & 26 Bracken's H

The Beaver Argus.

Beaver, Pa., May 24, 1871.

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State of the Thermometer for the week ending May 20th, 1871.

		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
May	14	58 deg.	65 deg.	55 deg
"	15	51 deg.	70 deg.	64 deg
"	16	54 deg.	75 deg.	63 deg
"	17	58 deg.	63 deg.	50 deg
"	18	50 deg.	73 deg.	63 deg
"	19	53 deg.	73 deg.	57 deg
"	20	55 deg.	80 deg.	67 deg

R. L. TAYLOR.

TIME TABLE.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.—Trains going East leave Beaver Station as follows: Mail 7.05 a. m.; Accommodation and Express, (through to Bellair,) 6.10 p. m.

Pitt. Ft. W. & C. R. R.—Trains going East leave (whichever station (at end of bridge) as follows: Beaver Falls accom. 8.53 a.m.; Enon accom. 7.10 a. m.; New Castle accom. 8.30 a. m.; B. Falls accom. 12.10 p. m.

Trains going West leave Rochester Station, (at end of bridge) as follows: B F. accom 10 a. m., Enon accom. 5.12 p. m.; Erie night express 5.45 p m.; B. Falls accom. 7.30 p. m.

Trains going East leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: B. F. accom 6.05 a. m; Enon accom. 7.15 a. m.; New Castle accom. 9.10 a. m.; Chicago exp. 10.32 a. m; Beaver Falls accom. 12.15 p. m.; Chicago Mail 2.05 p. m; Erie exp. 4 10 p. m; Chicago express 6.05 p. m; Erie mail 9.55 p. m.

Trains going West, leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: Chicago m. 12.35 a. m.; Erie exp. 8.25 a. m; Beaver Falls accom. 9.55 a. m; Chicago exp. 11.30 a. m.; Chicago exp. 3.55 p m; New Castle accom. 4.30 p. m.; Erie exp 5.42 p. m; Beaver Falls accom. 7.25.

The attention of the public is directed to the following New Advertisements which appear for the first time in the ARGUS to-day:

Sheriff's Sales—John Grubing, Sheriff.
Special Notices—Mrs. A. S. Bence.
Special Notices—Beaver Drug Store.
Special Notice—D. J. Snellenburg
Special Notice—R. Steinfeld.
Special Notice—M Schiff
Furniture, &c.—Henry Lapp.
Dissolution Notice—C F Winter & Co.
Opera Hat House—J. D. Rama ey.
Printers, &c—Samuel R. Johnston.
Auction—B. C Coyle, Jeweler.
Special Notice—C. F. Winter.
Special Notice—Dr R. V. Pierce.

Many Articles prepared and in type for this issue of the ARGUS have been forced aside to make room for legal and other advertising. Our readers will bear with the infliction when assured that advertisements are the life blood of newspaper printing.

MILLINERY GOODS.—Go to Mrs. Bence for them, a good stock and the cheapest. may24;3w.

Our Harrisburg Letter came to hand at a time when we were so crowded with Sheriff Sales and other advertisements, as to preclude its publication. We regret this, as it makes disclosures of the Cameron "ring" sale of the Senate, for the next seven years, to the Democrats at the expense of the Republican party, the conditions of which would interest our readers.

THE latest styles in Hats, Bonnets and frames, received every week at Mrs. Fast's.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—On and after May 6th and until the 1st of September the County Commissioners, will meet only on Saturday of each week, at their office in Beaver. JOHN M'GOUN, *Clerk.* may5tf

Are we to be Swindled Again.—Private information has reached us that the friends of Dr. Sparrock, intend running in a lot of Democratic votes for that gentleman in Rochester and Beaver Falls, on next Saturday. If this is done trouble will follow. Here is the rule on that point; and we republish it now as that primary election officers on next Saturday may act understandingly in the question:

SEC. 2. All who claim to be, and are recognized as members of the Republican party, legally entitled to vote at the ensuing October election, and residents of the election district where they propose to vote at the time of the primary election, and minors who are identified with the party, and who will be of full age at the next ensuing election, shall be entitled to vote for candidates for the various offices to be filled at such election.

LACE and Linen Collars, Scarfs, and neckties in new styles at Mrs. Fast's.

Narrow Escape From Burning.—The residence of William Porter, esq., Rochester, was discovered to be on fire one day last week from burning wood falling on the roof. Had a few minutes more elapsed before its discovery the building would have been destroyed.

The residence of Capt. D. H. Stone, near Beaver, was also on fire a few days ago from the same cause, but was happily discovered before the flames made much progress.

The Concert given on last Friday evening by Prof. T. C. O'Kane, of Delaware, Ohio, and the Methodist E. Sunday School of this place, was in all respects a complete success. Prof. O'Kane is not only a popular composer of Sunday School music, but he is one who knows how to sing his own compositions with fine effect. Much credit is due to Mrs. R. T. Taylor, under whose leadership the children and the young ladies sang, for the admirable manner in which she had trained them to render her own excellent selections, of duetts and choruses.

Mrs. A. S. BENCE.—Having opened this day a Millinery and Trimming Store on my own account, in my former residence, Third street, Beaver, next the U. P. Seminary, I would respectfully ask my old customers and the public generally for their patronage. I will try by courtesy and fair dealing to gain the good will of all who patronize me. Give me a call.
my17-2w.] Mrs. ANNIE S. BENCE.

GO and see the beautiful Irish potatoes and pickles, imported, the first of the season, at the Beaver Drug Store.

Decoration Day.—In accordance with published notice, a meeting of soldiers and citizens was held at the room of the Post of the G. A. R. of Beaver, on last Tuesday evening, at which arrangements were made for the appropriate observance of the day fixed for decorating the graves of the deceased soldiers of the army and navy, who fell in the struggle to preserve the Union from dissolution in the recent great civil war, or who have since died from wounds or disease contracted in the same. The soldiers are to meet at the rooms of the Post of the G. A. R., at 1 o'clock, p. m., of Tuesday, May 30th. Rev. W. H. Locke will address the assemblage at the Court House at 3 o'clock, p. m. From thence the procession will repair to the Old Cemetery where an address will be delivered by J. P. Drake, esq; the graves of such of the soldiers as are there in will decorated, and the procession move to the New Cemetery, where an address will be delivered by Rev. D. P. Lowary.

The public of Beaver are requested to suspend business and close up stores and shops from 2 o'clock, p. m., till 5 o'clock. The principal and pupils of the Soldier's Orphans' School are invited to be present on the occasion.

The public at large are requested to contribute bouquets and flowers for the occasion, and turn out *en masse* to swell the procession. The ladies were especially invited to decorate the monument erected to the memory of deceased soldiers whose bodies have not been found since the battles in which they fell were fought. The officers of the meeting were instructed to ask the re-pective clergymen to request their choirs to take charge of the vocal music on the occasion.

Beaver papers please copy.

A **barn** belonging to Mr. Peter Mershimer, of Shenango township, Lawrence Co., was destroyed by fire last Tuesday night, together with three horses, one buggy and wagon, 300 bushels oats, 50 bushels wheat, and many other things. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

DON'T you wonder why your neighbor looks so well? It is because he has neat fitting clothes. Who makes them? S. & J. Snellenburg, the fashionable Merchant Tailors of New Brighton.

It is published as a fact that a resident of New Galilee, this county, paid $9 for an express package at Enon Valley, recently; and opening it found it to contain sawdust. It is shrewdly conjectured he expected it to contain a goodly sum of the "*quer*"—counterfeit bank notes—which could not be told from the genuine. When lamenting the fraud, he was told to "dry up," or he would be prosecuted for conspiring to defraud the public with bad money. He could have obtained sawdust at a much more reasonable sum at home. Such persons cannot look for public sympathy; and, while it is not accorded to them, we cannot over look the fact that those who hold out the tempting bait to sinners should be arrested and severely punished.

LACE, Silk, Pongee, and linen Parasols at Mrs. Fast's.

A countryman, with $50 in his pocket-book, visited New Castle week before last for the purpose of attending the show. He purchased a suit of clothes, saw the show, got tight and lent his bundle of clothing to some one to carry for him. After reason resumed its sway, he was unable to identify the one who volunteered to take charge of his bundle. He estimates his loss at fifty dollars. A few such incidents would be sufficient one would think, to make a temperance man of any one.

The Iron Furnace.—We have read the work entitled as above, with attention. It is filled with thrilling narratives and incidents the realities of which far outstrip the romances of the middle ages. The attention of the reader is arrested at the very outset of its perusal, and held spellbound until the conclusion of the book. The author of the work—Rev. J. H. Aughey, Pastor of Slippery-rock Presbyterian Congregations—resides in Rochester, Beaver county, Pa; from whom those desirous of purchasing this truly interesting volume, can obtain a copy. We copy from exchanges some of the numerous notices of this book:

"We commend the book to all. The author's personal narrative is one of the most thrilling and exciting ever written. The arrest, the imprisonment, the escape, the perils of the roaring deep, the spiritual sound, the reincarnation, the final dungeon, the tumultuous body, the second escape, the perils of many sand hoodlumisms, the starvation, death from heart and hunger, and the final rescue from all, from sickness and reception under the skies of the good old flag, or, in short, a story that is very interesting, and will be read with wonderful deep emotion! The author carried eleven years in the South, and his views in regard to the war are perfectly correct. His investigations are continued in treason and rebellion, cannot fail to interest all."—*Rev. T. Breed, D. D.*

"The author was arrested as a traitor to the Union by the rebel authority or pseudo-authority, and which he could not, therefore, believe. He was heavily manacled and thrust into a dungeon, by which process those companions were taken out one by day to be shot, and their bodies thrown naked into a ditch, as a punishment of their patriotism. The author, as a non-combatant Unionist, was reserved for conspicuous singling, but escaped before the fulfillment of that diabolic intention. Traversing in the opposite direction from that in which he would naturally be sought; wearing on his ankles the heavy iron fetters which he had not been enabled to remove, he was compelled to flee the abodes of men, and usually kept for the hunting of slaves, but are now employed for the tracking of white Unionists—sleeping in the open air of his garments in the prison, far from them the scent might be taken,—traveling only by night, and then very slowly because of the galling circlet of his ankles; living mainly on green corn, eaten raw, since to raise a smoke would have been to advertise his presence to bitter and unrelenting foes; he finally evaded the rebel pickets and found refuge under the protecting folds of the flag of freedom, &c."—*Horace Greeley*

"Much good will come from the circulation of this book, and I could wish that it might be read by every one in our whole land."—*Rev. W. J. Morgan.*

"I have read the 'Iron Furnace' with intense interest; and find in it only another proof of how little the life is known by patriots of the North how what true fidelity to the government means. It seems to me that somehow in the Providence of God, the war in its progress or termination, must give the suffering Unionists of the South that lofty position relatively which they so richly deserve."—*Hon. T. T. Bradley.*

"I have read your book entitled the 'Iron Furnace.'" It shows what it costs to be a Union man in the South, and strongly illustrates the condition of southern society. I hope it will receive, as it deserves, a wide circulation."—*Hon. B. F. Wade.*

THE best assortment in silk and mohair poplins, Japanese silk, lustre mohair, black and colored alpacas, and all new styles in dress goods, you will find this season at M. Schiff's and he offers everything in the dry goods and trimming line at lower prices than ever.

New Brighton and Beaver Falls Items.—Last Sunday the new Presbyterian Church, of New Brighton was dedicated to the worship of God. There was a large congregation present to witness the services peculiar to such occasions. Rev. Dr. Howard preached the dedicatory sermon; followed in the afternoon by a discourse from its pastor Rev. B. C. Critchlow. In the evening Rev. Dr. Howard, of Pittsburgh, again preached. The choir discoursed excellent music; and, altogether they had a refreshing time of religious exercises.

—The German Catholics of Beaver Falls, are to have a grand picnic at Riverside Grove, on Monday next. The proceeds are to be applied toward the erection of a German school-house on the property recently purchased by that body of Christians, in Beaver Falls, upon which they intend to construct a church edifice in the future.

—Chief Burgess Johns, of New Brighton, is said to be the pioneer of the soda fountain business in Beaver county; he having erected a fountain for dispensing that cooling beverage more than fifty years ago. He still follows the business.

The new bogus five cent nickel, of which there are a large number in circulation, can be detected by an inspection of the motto, "In God we Trust," which is much larger on the counterfeit than on the genuine. The yellow color of the counterfeit, caused by the presence of zinc, is also easily noticeable.

Fire.—The residence of Mr. George Coury of Pymatuning tp., Mercer Co., was destroyed by fire on Saturday afternoon, about four o'clock. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue. A portion of the furniture on the first floor, only, was saved, the balance being consumed with the building.—Loss estimated from $2,500 to $3,000, partially insured in the Pymatuning Mutual.

THE JUNE NUMBER of *Harper's Magazine*, commencing the Forty-third Volume, opens with a brilliant poem by Mr. William Allen Butler, the author of "Nothing to Wear." The poem is entitled "General Average," and effectively portrays two scenes not uncommon in merchantile life—those of a Yankee merchant, Princeps, and a Jew, of the firm of Moses & Brother, in "Second-hand Square;" and shows that even in cursing a Jew may receive a lesson from a shrewd dealer. The illustrations are as characteristic as the poem itself, and the latter is likely to be as popular as "Nothing to Wear," which was originally published in *Harper's Weekly*, fourteen years ago.

In this number the New York Custom House, with all its complex operations, is for the first time and open and explained for the benefit of general readers. While the author, Colonel Thorpe, has treated the subject comprehensively and accurately, he has also indulged himself in his happiest vein of humor; and his interesting and valuable contribution is abundantly illustrated with truthful and well executed engravings.

"Along the Florida Reef," by Dr. J. B. Holder, is well continued, with its entertaining and instructive descriptions, supplemented by numerous illustrations. The concluding paper of this series will be published in the July Number.

Porte Crayon contributes "An Excursion to Wallkill Glen," illustrated by his own pencil, which, in its freshness of manner and gracefulness of narrative, reminds the reader of the early triumps of this veteran writer, who, we understand, will soon follow up this article with others of a descriptive character, illustrated by himself.

"Anne Furness," "The American Baron," and "Autocrat," are still continued. The latter—a story of remarkable power—will be concluded in the July Number. The shorter stories in this Number are—"A Bohemian Household," a very humorous story; a love story entitled "That Piece under Government," by the author of "My Daughter Elinor;" and the "Confessional," a beautiful domestic sketch, with an appropriate moral, translated from the German, by Mrs. C. C. Shackford.

The poetry of the Number is contributed by Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, Miss Kate Putnam Osgood, and Alice Cary.

A number of miscellaneous articles—most of them valuable historical contributions—are given, besides the illustrated papers to which reference have been made. "Short Trips to Europe," by William Prime, not only furnishes valuable hints to those about to cross the Atlantic, but will induce many to visit Europe who have hitherto hesitated to do so, deterred by the idea that one or two months are not sufficient for an enjoyable European tour. "The Man in the Mask," by Eugene Lawrence, is a thrilling narrative of the facts known about the mysterious prisoner of Louis XIV. The "Horrors of San Domingo," by Benson J. Lossing, illustrated with a portrait of Toussaint L'Overture, and "The Demolition of the Throne of Charles X.," by J. S. C. Abbott, are timely and important articles.

The Editor's Easy Chair talks of the change that has come over the spirit of French dreams, and gives humorous instances by way of illustration; of the Metropolitan Museum; and of the folly of those good-natured people who endorse their names to recommendations, invitations, etc., because importuned to do so. The Scientific Record contains thirty-four articles, and is introduced with a comprehensive summary of the progress of science since the beginning of the year. The Literary Record contains notices of Robert Chambers, Sampson Low, Jun., and of Professors De Morgan and Gervinus, and embraces in its criticisms the most important recent publications. The Historical Record gives a complete narrative of events from March 24 to April 25. The Drawer is full, spicy, and original.

GENTS' and boys' clothing of a superior make, you will only find at R. Steinfeld's. He is still adding new styles to his stock, and is now determined, more than ever, not to be undersold by any one. He received this week some new patterns in cassimeres for pants; also, extra great bargains in broadcloths.

The Buckeye State, published at New Lisbon, Ohio, is offered for sale. The recent death of its editor is assigned as a reason for sale. For information, address Mrs. Susan B. Young, New Lisbon, Columbiana Co., Ohio.

POETRY.—If you want to be happy the rest of your life, don't marry a man that drinks. But go to S. & J. Snellenburg's and buy an Elliptic Sewing Machine. Broadway, New Brighton.

Mr. Charles M. A en, of New Lisbon, Ohio, met with a serious accident on Tuesday of last week, while on a visit to his farm in Wayne township. He was in his buggy, about to return to town, when his horse became unruly, and commenced backing. Mr. Aten becoming alarmed for his own safety, attempted to leap from the buggy to secure the horse by the bridle, and in so doing, broke his right leg just below the knee, and dislocated the knee joint. He was taken to a farm house, and Dr. Gilmor sent for, who at once rendered the sufferer comfortable. He is doing well.

Mr. James M. Kuester, formerly a member of the editorial fraternity, of New Castle, Pa., has once more enrolled himself in the profession, being connected with the Sioux City, Iowa, *Times*. We wish our old friend abundant success in his new field of labor.

HATS AND BONNETS, of all the latest styles at Mrs. Bence's, next door to U. P. Seminary, Beaver. [may24;3w.

McClelland & Co, newspaper Advertising Agents, 59 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburgh, are intelligent, correct, active and reliable men. They are in every respect well qualified for the vocation they have adopted. When it shall be known—as we make no doubt it soon will be—that they are as responsible as they are active and courteous, they will be hailed by the newspaper press of Western Pennsylvania as a great acquisition to publishing and advertising interests. Gentlemen, you have our wish for your entire success, and your present indefatigable exertion will secure it.

LACE COLLARS, Kid Gloves, Embroidery, Trimmings, &c., at Mrs. Bence's; new stock and very cheap, give me a call. Next door to U. P. Seminary, Beaver. [may24;3w.

All persons wishing to invest in Jewelry, or Musical Instruments, will be sure to attend the great clearing-out sale, by Auction, on Saturday evening next, at the new Jewelry Store on Third street, Beaver, in the building formerly occupied by "The Beaver Local." Mr. Coyle, the proprietor will offer at public sale, at that time, some excellent articles in the above line, and there will be rare chances for bargains. He wishes to dispose of his old stock, at a sacrifice, in order to replace it with entirely new and fashionable articles.

DIE MODENWELT is a translation of an illustrated Magazine of Fashion and fancy work published in Berlin, and imported by S. T. Taylor, New York. Judging from the number before us, it is equal to any of the illustrated fashion Magazines published. The illustrations are of a superior order, and the descriptions are so plain that all can understand them. In addition there is a fine colored fashion plate and a supplement of cut patterns. It is issued semi monthly for $3 00 a year. Address, S. T. Taylor, Importer of Ladies Fashions, 391 Canal street New York.

OPERA HAT HOUSE.—Ramaley, the popular Hatter, Pittsburgh, No. 64 Fifth Avenue, has now the largest, most fashionable, and best selected stock of Hats, Caps and Gent's Furnishing Goods ever offered in that city. His store, under the Opera House, is the finest West of the Mountains, and we assure those who visit it they will find every article required for a complete outfit, and at fair prices.

On Friday last, a little boy named Johnny Crawber, living with W. N. Murphy, near Warren, Ohio, was killed. He was out with a son of Mr. Murphy, hauling logs on a log boat. Murphy was called away to measure a load of lumber, and when he came back to his team he found the boy dead. It is supposed he got on the boat, started the oxen, and fell under. He must have been killed instantly, as he made no noise, and his neck was broken.

COUNTY COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Republican County Committee was held at the Court House, Twenty-seven members were presented. After a free and friendly interchange of views, they adopted the following

Rules and Regulations for the Government of the Republican Primary Meetings.

SECTION 1. Candidates for the various offices shall be nominated by a direct vote of the Republican party by ballot.

SEC. 2. All who desire to be, and are recognized as members of the Republican party, legally entitled to vote at the ensuing October election, and residents of the election district where they propose to vote at the time of the primary election, and minors who are identified with the party, and who will be of full age at the next ensuing election, shall be entitled to vote for candidates for the various offices to be filled at such election.

SEC. 3. Candidates for the respective offices shall announce themselves as such in at least one county paper, for two weeks before the primary election, and thereby pledge themselves to abide the result of the nomination.

SEC. 4. The primary election for nominating candidates shall be held at the usual place of holding primary meetings in each district on the last Saturday in May in each year, and shall be opened at 2 o'clock p. m., except in districts where the population exceeds two thousand, they shall be opened at 10 o'clock a. m., and close in the townships at 7 o'clock, p. m., and in the boroughs at 8 o'clock, p. m.

SEC. 5. The Republican electors present at the time for opening the election, shall elect *viva voce* one of said electors as Judge, and two of said electors as Clerks to hold said election, and discharge the duties incumbent on such officers under these regulations, said clerks to keep a correct list of the names of the persons voting.

Sec. 6. The electors of each district shall also, at the same time and place, elect by ballot, as aforesaid, one person as a member of the County Committee for the ensuing year for every 100 or fraction of 100 Republican votes cast at the last preceding October election.

SEC. 7. After the polls are closed the officers of the election shall correctly count the votes cast for each candidate and for the member or members of the County Committee, and shall duly certify the same, over their signatures, and such certificate, together with the list of the said tally papers; also certified by the officers, shall be carefully sealed in an envelope addressed to the Chairman of the Republican County Committee, which envelope, together with a certificate for the members elect of their election as members of the County Committee, then be delivered before 8 o'clock, a. m. on the Tuesday following such election, by the Judge or one of the Clerks aforesaid, to the person who had been elected a member of the County Committee, or, in either of them, where there are more than one in the same district.

In case the member of the County Committee elect, is unable to discharge the duties as such, he may appoint a substitute *pro tem.*

SEC. 8. The members elect of the County Committee shall assemble at the Court House, in Beaver, on the Monday following said election, at 10 o'clock, a. m. and shall be called to order by the Chairman of the County Committee, or in his absence, by the Secretary, who shall preside as temporary Chairman for organization, and to whom committee-men shall deliver their certificates of election as members.

When a roll of members shall have been made, they shall elect one of their number as President and two Secretaries. The returns of the election for candidates shall then be delivered to the President, which he, aided by the Chairman of the County Committee, shall open and announce therefrom, the number of votes returned for each candidate, to be recorded by the Secretaries; which being done, and the votes carefully counted, the persons having received the highest number of votes shall be declared duly nominated, and the result shall be ordered to be published in all the party papers of the county.

SEC. 9. Any two or more persons having an equal number of votes for the same office shall be balloted for by the County Committee, and the person receiving the highest number of votes shall be the nominee.

SEC. 10. A majority of the County Committee on being satisfied of fraud in the returns or conduct of any election district, may reject the votes of such district to the extent of the fraud committed.

SEC. 11. The County Committee shall appoint all Congressional and Legislative conferees, and all delegates to National and State Conventions, if any.

SEC. 12. Immediately after declaring nominees for the ensuing election—the members of the County Committee shall proceed to permanently organize by electing one of their members as Chairman; one as Secretary, and one as Treasurer, and appoint seven of their number as Executive Committee, for the ensuing year.

SEC. 13. Any candidate who may wish to contest a nomination, must give notice thereof to the Chairman of the County Committee within fifteen days after the meeting of the County Convention.

SEC. 14. The Chairman of the County Committee shall be the Custodian of all the primary election return papers.

D. STANTON, CH'N.
W. W. KERR, *Sec'y.*

Primary Election.—In accordance with the rules of the party, the Republicans of Beaver county will meet at the usual places of holding elections, on **Saturday, the 27th day of May,** and vote for the following nominees for the following offices:

One person for		*Assembly,*
"	"	*Associate Judge.*
"	"	*Treasurer,*
"	"	*Pros. Attorney,*
"	"	*County Commissioner,*
"	"	*Poor House Director,*
"	"	*Auditor,*
"	"	*County Surveyor,*
Two persons for		*Trustees of Academy.*

They will also elect members of County Committee as follows:

Big Beaver,.....	1	Industry,.....	1
Beaver borough,.....	2	Marion,.....	1
Borough township,...	1	McGuire,.....	1
Bridgewater borough..	1	Moon,.....	1
Brighton township,...	1	New Brighton, (N. W.)	1
Baden borough,.....	1	do (M. W.)	2
Baden Falls borough,	3	do (S. W.)	2
Chippewa,.....	1	New Sewickley,.....	1
Darlington,.....	2	North Sewickley,.....	1
Economy township,...	1	New Galilee borough..	1
Fallston,.....	1	Ohio,.....	2
Franklin,.....	1	Patterson,.....	1
Freedom borough,....	1	Phillipsburg,.....	1
Freedom borough,....	1	Pulaski,.....	1
Frankfort district,....	1	Raccoon,.....	2
Greene township,.....	2	Rochester borough,...	1
Georgetown borough...	1	Rochester township,...	1
Harmony,.....	1	South Beaver,.....	2
Hopewell,.....	1	St. Clair borough,.....	1
Independence,.....	1		

The County Convention will be held at the Court House, on **Monday, the 29th of May, at 10 o'clock, a. m.**

D. STANTON, *Ch'n. Co. Com.*

FLOWERS AND PLANTS.—A fine lot of Flowers and Plants such as, Roses, Geraniums, Pelargoniums, Fuschias, Salvias, Heliotrops Lautunas, Verbenas, Tuberroses, &c. &c.; also Mosses for hanging baskets, will be fond at the east end of the Court House, Beaver, on Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

C. B. HURST.

Radical please copy.

A Terrible explosion of nitro-glycerine occurred on Friday last, in the road between Titusville and Tidioute, Pa., whence it was being conveyed in a wagon. About four hundred pounds of the compound exploded, and the driver, Charles C. Clark, as well as the horse and the vehicle, were blown to atoms. A barn forty rods distant was demolished, and an excavation five feet deep and twelve feet broad was made in the road-way. The largest fragment of Clark's body which has been found is a portion of his face. The horse's shoes were stripped off and broken, and nothing was left of the wagon but splints of wood and iron scattered broadcast for several hundred yards. A woman was knocked down by a missile of some kind which entered her dwelling, nearly a quarter of a mile distant. There is considerable indignation manifested in Titusville. The glycerine which exploded was previously hauled through the streets of the city, as has been repeatedly done heretofore, notwithstanding a prohibitory ordinance. Clark, the deceased, had been in the employ of the Roberts Torpedo Company for two years past. He leaves a wife and child residing at Tidioute.

Do not ruin your eye sight by wearing common spectacles; nine-tenths of all eye disease is caused by wearing improper glasses. Lazarus & Morris' perfected Spectacles and Eye Glasses, for which we have the sole agency, are the most perfect and beautiful ever offered. They will cause a continuous and abiding improvement in the eyes, and assist your sight most brilliantly. C. F. Winter, of New Brighton has the agency for the above glasses.

The Lawrence Journal of last week [illegible]

Pennsylvania Legislature.

It is due to the gentleman who kindly became my bondsmen to the United States, as collector of Internal Revenue, Disbursing Agent for the Government, and as Agent for the sale of Revenue Stamps; that I should not only tender them my thanks for their kindness and confidence, but that I should satisfy them that their confidence has not been betrayed, and that my accounts with the government have all been adjusted and settled, which I will take pleasure in doing, from official papers, if they or either of them will take the trouble to call at my office. It is also due to truth, to myself, and to the public, that I should show that the malicious slander that I was a defaulter to the United States in the sum of over $30,000, so sedulously circulated among the people of this county, not long since, during an exciting political campaign, by persons, some of whom claim respectability and even aspire to places of public trust, is as untrue and unworthy of belief as its author. This I am prepared to do by official documents—and that not one dollar has passed between the government and myself since this falsehood was circulated except a balance which the United States owed me a few weeks since on a final settlement of my account.

I forbear saying more now; but at some future time may show this community the importance of guarding against the egregious falsehoods to which such men resort in order to carry out their political schemes.

DAVID SANKEY.

For the Beaver Argus.

NEW CASTLE, May 13, 1871.

MR. EDITOR:—My attention was this afternoon called to a communication signed "Wyandotte," in the ARGUS of the 3d inst., in which some account is given of the doings of the Presbytery of Shenango. I scarcely notice anonymous scribblers in the newspapers; but as your correspondent, despite his Indian name, is known to be a white man and a member of the Presbytery of Shenango, I respectfully ask you to do me the justice of permitting me to say that his notice of my sermon is a mere caricature, which does both the discourse and myself great injustice. I can hardly conceive that this was intentional on the part of Wyandotte, for having never injured him—but on the contrary, having some claim upon his kind feeling, I am reluctant to attribute *malice;* and can only account for the most palpable perversion of my statements and position, upon the supposition that, as it was night, and my brother had been performing the duties of a presbyter all day, he was drowsy—perhaps dreaming—or that his brain has not yet become cooled off from the fevers of "The Iron Furnace." I have neither time nor disposition to enter into details; and shall content myself with a very explicit and succinct denial of some of his statements: I did not say that "the *carnal* Jews would be restored to their nationality in Palestine." I did not say that I had proofs of such a position in my satchel—what I had there were statistics in regard to the number, dispersion, learning and resources of that peculiar people. I did not say what he attributes to me on the subject of Slavery.

In speaking of Israel's wondrous emancipation from Egyptian slavery, I said it was a *slow process*—that although accomplished by miracle, time was taken by God, in his providence, to prepare freedom for them and them for freedom; and that after the exodus this nation of slaves were kept for forty years under special divine training, in the wilderness, before they were introduced to the land of promise; and before the franchises of a free nationality were fully imposed upon them; and I said that if we had imitated the Divine example, and exercised patience, so as to have adopted the plan of emancipation recommended by Mr. Lincoln in the early months of his Presidency, it might have saved us from an immense expenditure of blood and treasure. The statement "He found great fault with the providence of God in removing so suddenly every vestige of that sum of all human villainies." It is *simply untrue*—without as I fondly hope being intentionally so. I found no such fault—but expressly the contrary. It is also untrue that any attempt was made to "resurrect the dead enemy of the past and clothe with sinews and flesh the hideous skeleton of Slavery; and breathe into it the breath of life." It is simply and nakedly a misrepresentation. It is simply and utterly untrue that I "in lugubrious terms mourned that the hideous monster came to his end by decapitation, &c," and it requires all the charity which I can exercise to dispel the fear that *malice*—how originated it is impossible to surmise—dictated this gross and injurious misrepresentation. All who know my history, know that I never was the apologist—but always the opponent of slavery—and no human being ever heard me utter a syllable that looked like "lugubrious mourning" over its downfall. If your correspondent expects to promote his usefulness and comfort by such misrepresentations of his brethren—intentional or unintentional—I shall be surprised if he shall succeed. With respectful consideration,

Yours, D. X. JUNKIN.

A True Hero.

The Newport Presbyterian Church is located in a beautiful grove adjoining the town of Newport, Lawrence county, Pa. As a constant worshiper may be seen—Mr. E. R. Miles—a man of humble mein, a carpenter by trade, an industrious, upright citizen, highly esteemed by his neighbors for his integrity, his social qualities and his freedom from ostentation. During the war he was a soldier, in the 100th Regiment Pa. Vol. Infantry. During the second Bull Run battle he carried his Bible in his blouse pocket. Whilst the battle was raging fearfully a minie ball struck the book, penetrated to the Book of Psalms, glanced from the volume and barely entered the flesh from which he extracted it with his fingers, and placing it in his pocket bro't it home with him as a trophy. The last verse affected by the bullet was the one hundredth and twenty-first Psalm, eighth verse. The sacred volume doubtless preserved his life; had the bullet not been intercepted by it it would have passed through his heart and instantly exterminated his existence. At the explosion of the mine at Petersburg the 100th Regiment was ordered to charge the enemy. During the advance a bullet struck the cap box which Mr. Miles carried opposite the right breast, passed through the belt and five plies of harness leather of which the cap box was made, and barely entering the flesh was easily removed, and is now in Mr. Miles's possession. After this, and a few days before the close of the war, Mr. Miles was drilling a squad of men near Petersburg when a bullet fired by a sharp shooter on the enemy's works passed through both his thighs, grazing the bone of one thigh and passing through the fleshy part of the other. Mr. Miles participated in twenty-two severely contested battles and innumerable skirmishes. Few who observe him so faithfully and gently performing the duties of his vocation are aware of his heroic services in his country's defence. Capable, honest and energetic; is he not more deserving of official position than many of the aspirants for office in Lawrence county? But he prefers to eat the bread his own hands have earned at a laborious manual vocation to dabbling in the turbid pool of politics. Our country's prosperity would be greatly enhanced had we more such men who can gently lay aside the honor won upon many a well fought field, refuse a proffered position, and though disabled for severe manual labor, assume his former occupation and discharge its duties to the best of his ability.

WYANDOTTE.

Rochester, Pa., May 16, 1871.

HAVE you seen the lock-stich Elliptic Sewing-Machine? No, you haven't, then you're behind the age. S. & J. Snellenburg, Merchant Tailors, Broadway, New Brighton, are the Agents.

Pennsylvania Legislature.

SENATE, May 15.—Mr. Olmsted, moved the discharge of the committee from House joint resolution, fixing the 10th inst. for final adjournment. Agreed to by a vote of fifteen Republicans to four-teen Democrats, but the speaker ruled that it was not in his power to place the resolution before the Senate for consideration, the chairman of the committee still having it. A number of local bills passed, but none of interest to the general reader. There is little legislation going on, except that granting special favors to some corporation or individuals. Wherever this is done, the public must suffer to the extent of the favor granted. Instance—law exempting incomes derived from interest on mortgages and other monied securities in Beaver county; thus the tax payers are saddled with eight thousand dollars per annum, by its operation. The law library was another instance, but was repealed.

HOUSE.—The House was not in session to-day.

SENATE, May 16.—The Border Claim bill was recalled from the House and amended by providing for the revision of all claims and certificates from the Governor and State Treasurer, countersigned and registered by the Auditor General, stating the amount of adjudicating claims, certificates to be made payable only when the United States shall pay such claims. Among the private bills passed was one to establish a Ferry over the Ohio river at Shousetown.

HOUSE.—The bill extending the time for completing the Erie and Allegheny Railroad, passed. The House concurred in the Senate amendment to the Border Raid bill, and it goes to the Governor.

SENATE, May 17.—The bill regulating screens, in the bituminous coal regions, was defeated. The House bill relative to the Atlantic and Great Western Railway Company was passed.

HOUSE.—The Senate bill requiring the Commissioners of Butler county to publish the jury list, was passed. The Senate Shoustown ferry-bill passed. The bill relative to distributing the proceeds of Sheriff's sales, also passed.

SENATE, May 18.—The appropriation bill passed without material amendment. On motion, the Senate agreed to consider the bill for a Constitutional Convention; motions to fix June 1872, and June 1873, as the times for election of delegates were voted down. After considerable discussion, the subject was postponed. Mr. Buckalew voted with the Republicans. A bill to appoint Commissioners to examine bituminous coal mines passed. A bill repealing the act for protecting contingent interest, passed.

HOUSE.—The members of both Houses are resting for the day, with little prospect of adjournment. A bill to establish an Insurance Department providing that the Governor shall appoint every three years, subject to confirmation by the Senate, an Insurance Superintendent, at a salary of $2,500, with five clerks. All insurance companies, home and foreign, shall make a detailed report annually to the Attorney General of their exact financial condition and standing, and the Attorney General and Insurance Superintendent shall have power to place all insurance officers and agents on oath. Financial statements must be published twice a month by all companies in the local papers of each political party wherever they have agents, was discussed and passed. Two Senate bill relative to foreign merchandise, was passed. A Committee of Conference was appointed on the Senate amendments to the appropriation bill. A bill giving Courts the power to fix the width of State roads, passed. The Senate bill prohibiting the issue of scrip hereafter by allowing employees conditional interest in the business of individual firms and corporations without being liable for debts, was passed. A bill making the State Treasurer ex-officio by Constitutional amendment, passed as it came from the Senate, and goes to the Governor.

SENATE, May 19.—The Senate passed the Philadelphia Registry bill by a party vote. The House bill, giving members ten dollars per day, extra, since the 1st of April, passed after considerable discussion. There is now not much danger of an early adjournment. Mr. Rutan voted against the bill. Give

SELECT MISCELLANY.

DARK HOURS.

BY HORACE GREELY.

The following was written, and published in the New York *Tribune* during the early days of the Great Rebellion; and as it alludes to a clergyman and very estimable citizen of Rochester, in this county, it will be found of interest to most of our readers:

When Washington retreated, eighty-six years ago, with the small remnant of his thrice defeated army, from New York through New Jersey to seek refuge from his victorious pursuers behind the Delaware in Pennsylvania many of his followers doubtless murmured at a dispensation of Providence to them so inscrutable. Was not the cause of American Independence just? Was it not that the Universal Freedom—of the inalienable Rights of Man? If so, why should reverses fall thick and heavy upon it? Why should its brave defenders lie sleeping on the battle-fields they had illustrated by their valor and fertalized by their blood? Why should they languish in mi-erable hospitals or pine in pestilent prisons, hopeless and heart-broken? How could things have gone worse if the Universe were an accident, and blind Electricity or Gravitation were the only God?

Rash, hasty judgement! A fly feeling the first frost of Autumn, might pass such a one on the benignity evinced in the structure and laws of the Solar System.

Looking back from this distance, with the eighty-six years' experience to guide us, we can easily see that the disasters wherewith our forefathers opened their Revolutionary struggle were essential to the development of the most heroic phase of their character—their constancy under circumstances of intense discouragement. Had it been decreed that they should triumph from the outset—that the battle of Long Island should result in a 'Continental victory, leading to the capture or dispersion of Gen. Howe's army and the consequent recognition of our Independence before the close of that year, who believes that we should have become the people that we are? Who does not see that our early reverses were as beneficent as our ultimate successes—Long Island as Saratoga, Brandywine as Yorktown?

I attended on Saturday evening a meeting at the Cooper Institute, called and addressed by refuges from several of the States now in Rebellion against the Union. The speakers four in number, were from Texas, Tennessee, Florida, and Mississippi respectively, but several other of the revolted States were represented in the hall and on the platform. Col. Hamilton of Texas has repeatedly been heard in our City, and always speaks clearly and forcibly. Mr. Baynton, from Florida, spoke at considerable length, and laid bare the nature and impulse of the Rebellion. Mr. Carter, from East Tennessee, portrayed the persecutions, the distresses, the disappointed hopes, the heart sickness, of the loyal, Union-loving majority in that afflicted region, and pathetically asked if they must bear for ever as they have borne for the last fifteen months, under the iron heel of their cruel enemies, who rob and murder them at will, thrusting them into dungeons on suspicion that they are traitors, and dragging them away by thousands to fight the battles of an abhorred, detested treason. But the most effective speech of all was that of Rev. Mr. Aughey, a Presbyterian clergyman of Northern birth, late a pastor in Northern Mississippi, and an earnest, open, decided opponent of the Secession from the outset. Arrested as a traitor to the treason whereto he had never actively nor passively adhered, and which he therefore could not betray, he was heavily manacled and thrust into a crowded, filthy prison, whence his companions were taken out day by day to be shot, and their bodies thrown naked into a ditch as the punishment of their patriotism. Mr. Aughey himself, as a more determined and influential Unionist, was reserved for conspicuous hanging, but escaped before the fulfillment of that amiable intention. Traveling in the opposite direction from that in which he would naturally be sought, wearing on his ankles the heavy iron fetters which he had not been enabled to remove, he was obliged to evade the bloodhounds that are usually kept for the hunting of slaves, but now employed for tracking White Unionists, taking care to leave none of his garments in the prison, as from those the scent might be taken; travelling only by night, and then very slowly because of the galling circlets of his ankles; living roughly on green corn plucked from the field and eaten raw, since to raise a smoke would have been to advertise his location to watchful, unrelenting foes; he finally discovered himself at a venture to a farmer who proved a Unionist, and by whom he was conveyed on horseback several miles in the right direction, and thus enabled to evade the Rebel pickets and find refuge under the protecting folds of the Flag of Freedom. Mr. Aughey relates that, while skulking through forests and corn-fields on his way out of the house of bondage, he was sometimes impelled by thirst—the country being at that time intensely parched by drouth—to approach a dwelling and ask for water; and if, on drawing near, a *slave* appeared at the door or was seen through a window, he instinctively shrank back unobserved into the friendly shade, to bear his sufferings as he might. If indeed he could have found a habitation peopled *only* by blacks, he might have freely claimed its hospitality but a slaveholding family was inevitably a den of malignant treason. Mr. Aughey's conclusion from all he has seen and heard is, that the number of those who have been murdered in the South for their loyalty—some of them Black, but by far the greater portion White—is really appalling.

We frequently hear from our Democratic orators and journalists of "the South" requiring this or that for her security, and of what will or will not satisfy "the South," meaning always by "the South" the traitors who have taken that section by the throat, and compelled it to speak as they bid, or remain silent. Nobody would imagine, from hearing or reading a speech of Horatio Seymour or Fernando Wood, that there was anybody at the South but traitors, unless it be the Black dependents and devoted satellites of those traitors. The White Unionists of the South are generally ignored by those leaders, or mentioned to be shiveringly with anxiety least Savery be rudely slain in the attempt to preserve the Union. But those Unionists come among us—they appeal to our sympathies, and invoke our interposition to save their families and neighbors from their cruel oppressors—and neither whisper a word of anxiety that Savery should be saved from impending destruction. On the contrary, they recognize in that fiend the cause of all their woes, the destroyer of our Nation's peace, and hope that the arm outstretched for their deliverance will hurl them into utter ruin. None of these Southern martyrs to their loyalty are seen consorting with our Northern champions of the South—they do not seek the platforms, whence Seymour harangues on the great mischiefs of Radicalism, or Brooks in silvery periods paints the horrors of Abolition. That undiscoverable negro who hasts and flees from the Yankee hordes who come to tear him from the protection and kindness of "Massa," is not more nire than the Southern Unionist who having braved death and suffered martyrdom for his loyalty, now comes North to entreat us to put down the Great Rebellion *so* gingerly as to leave Slavery *strong* as ever. The champions of "the Union as it was, the Constitution as it is, and the Negroes as they were," are confined to the anti-Republicans of the Free States.

Yet the hour is a dark one. Paralysis brooding over our armies; disaster impending in our overtaxed finances; the People disgusted by delays, wearied out by disappointments, and sinking under heavy burdens that seem to be born in vain, and thus giving triumph in some of the Free States to the natural allies and lifelong scrvitors of the now openly traitorous Slave Power—all this would be appalling if the universe were a weltering chaos and the heavens without a God. But the darkest hour barely proceeds the dawn, and the coldest days of Winter just anticipate the first premonitions of Spring. At length, our armies are embodied and ready for action; the removal of Buell is a foretaste of like changes in every department whose delay and immobility are chronic; and the ominous silence of our augmented fleets preludes the opening roar of cannonades and the fierce din of battle. Be patient yet a little longer, O loyal MILLIONS! and your long-suffering shall be rewarded by the trumpet-notes of Victory, ushering in a long, bright era of Peace based on Justice and Universal Freedom!

An Interesting Paper.

Among certain old papers lately found in the Treasury Department at Washington is the original agreement made by Lafayette with Silas Deane, American Commissioner at Paris in 1776, to serve in the war of the Revolution. Here it is, as translated for the Cleveland *Herald* by Mr. Darius Lyman, who explains that Mr. Deane's name, which ought to follow the first paragraph, does not appear—probably because that part of the paper is a duplicate. The signature of Lafayette is unquestionably genuine:

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On the above conditions, I offer myself, and promise to leave, as said when Mr. Silas Deane shall judge proper, to serve the said State with all possible devotion without any compensation or special appointments, simply reserving to myself the liberty to return to Europe whenever my family or King shall recall me. Done at Paris the seventh of December, 1776.

LE M'S DE LA FAYETTE.

How a Will Was Found.

An instance of the renewal in sleep of an impression of memory calling up an apparition to enforce it (it is the impression which causes the apparition, not the apparition which conveys the impression) occured near Bath half a century ago, and is related by Miss Cobbe in an article on "Unconscious Celebration" in the last number of *Macmillan's Magazine*. Sir John Miller, a very wealthy gentleman, died leaving no children. His widow had always understood that she was to have the use of his house for her life, with a very large jointure; but no will making such provision could be found after his death. The heir-at-law, a distant connection, naturally claimed his rights, but kindly allowed Lady Miller to remain for six months in the house to complete her search for the missing papers. The six months drew at last to a close, and the poor widow had spent fruitless days and weeks in examining every possible piece of deposit for the lost document, till at last she came to the conclusion that her memory must have deceived her, and that her husband could have made no such promise as she supposed, or have neglected to fulfil it and he made one.

The very last day of her tenure of the house, had just dawned, when in the gray of the morning Lady Miller drove up to the door of her man of business in Bath, and rushed excitedly to his bed room door, calling out, "Come to me! I have seen Sir John! There is a will!" The lawyer hastened to accompany her back to her house. All she could tell him was that her deceased husband had appeared to her in the night, standing by her bedside, and had said solemnly, "There is a will!" Where it was, remained as uncertain as before. Once more the house was searched in vain from cellar to loft, till finally wearied and in despair the lady and her friend found themselves in a garret at the top of the house. "It shall over," Lady Miller said: "I give it up; my husband deceived me, and I am ruined!" At that moment she looked at the table over which she was leaning weeping. "This table was in his study once! Let us examine it!" They looked, and the missing will, duly signed and sealed, was within it, and the widow was rich to the end of her days. It needs no conjuror to explain how her anxiety called up the myth of Sir John Miller's apparition, and made him say precisely what he had once before really said to her, but of which the memory had waxed faint.

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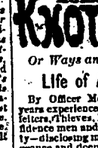

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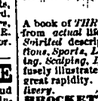

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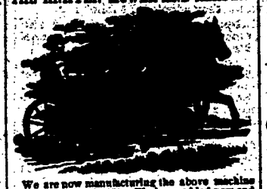

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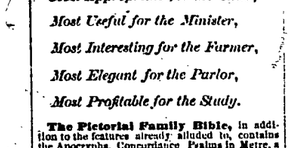

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